

## WAY IS OPENED FOR REPARATION PARTICIPATION

### TAX REDUCTION WILL BE GIVEN IMMEDIATE ATTENTION BY HOUSE Ways and Means Committee Will Take up Draft Monday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Definite assurance that tax reduction legislation will be considered promptly by the house ways and means committee was given tonight by Representative Green of Iowa, prospective chairman, after a conference with Republican members of the committee.

Mr. Green in a formal statement said he expected to call the committee together Monday to take up the draft of the bill submitted by the treasury, and "thereafter proceed with the work of revision as rapidly as is consistent with accuracy and thorough consideration."

It is obvious the statement continued that so great a task as is now presented to the committee cannot be disposed of summarily but it should also be borne in mind that the income taxes affected by the proposed measure will not be payable until 1925.

"Some time necessarily will elapse before the committee can even complete an examination and consideration of the administrative features alone but there will be no necessary delay."

Committee Favorable

Declaring that the ways and means committee always has been favorable to tax reduction, Mr. Green asserted that it ought to be clear to everyone that taxation could not be continued at a rate that would enable the government to pile up a large surplus "above necessary working balance and the payments upon the debt thru the sinking fund."

Reiterating that the committee "is now, as before ready and desirous of reducing taxes to the lowest point consistent with proper government expenditures and will undertake its work with this object in view," Mr. Green said that the ordinary and usual method with a treasury bill in the committee is to take up the bill item by item and make a new draft which, if approved by the whole committee is then introduced by the chairman.

"I assume," added Mr. Green, "that this procedure will be followed in the consideration of the proposed bill."

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## CHICAGO SHOULD BE MADE TO PAY SUM FOR DAMAGE

### Farmers of Illinois Drainage District Ask Protection

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., Dec. 11.—(A. P.)—Calling upon farmers of the Illinois river valley drainage district to meet in this city, December 14, to organize for protection against measures that will increase the water level in the river, J. P. Kerr, Versailles, president of the Association of Drainage and Levee Districts of Illinois, has announced a plan "to make Chicago pay."

"As we see it today," President Kerr's announcement said, all of our people are united in the position that Chicago should and must deal with us on a business basis in terms of finance to enable us to raise our levies for protection before any legislation of any kind may be enacted in Washington.

"The future looks better to us because of this unanimous feeling we have discovered among our fellow landowners. It now remains for us to express our plans and accomplish our purposes. Your presence is more essential than we can tell you in words, and we ask that you be present and support us in this meeting more especially than in anything else we might ask you for. We shall leave it in your hands knowing full well that you will stand by us and thereby also protect yourself and your interests."

"We desire above all things," President Kerr's letter concludes, "to present a powerful and united front to the senatorial committee at Washington." Accompanied by ex-Congressman Guy L. Shaw of this city, Mr. Kerr says, he will spend a week in Washington, "seeking out and confirming our friends who will support us in our just claims against Chicago."

Prominent speakers have been invited to address the Beardstown meeting, among them S. H. Thompson, president of the Illinois Agricultural Association.

Thompson has represented the agricultural association as demanding that the Illinois attorney general will carry adequate provision protecting against increased flow of water during flood seasons, and demanding precautions of health." Association members Mr. Thompson said, own approximately 300,000 acres of land on the Illinois river that would be affected by the McCormick bill.

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## Pittsburgh Plus Used On Prices Of Cement

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 11.—Uniformity of cement bids submitted by the State Highway division yesterday and rejected as excessive, today led to the charge by C. R. Miller, director of the Department of Public Works and Buildings that "the so-called 'Pittsburgh plus' method of price fixing seems to have been used."

"If Illinois had accepted the bids offered on the large quantity of 4,000,000 barrels," Mr. Miller said, "the state's action would have fixed the cement price for the middle west for one year and every county, municipality, township, and individual would have been affected."

"An analysis of the cement bids rejected shows a marked uniformity in the prices bid by the various companies f. o. b. the different county seats. In general, the prices are apparently based on a mill price of \$1.65 a barrel at Buffington, Ind., and the so-called 'Pittsburgh plus' method of price fixing seems to have been used."

For this reason Mr. Miller said, the department postponed indefinitely the road letting for December 21, at which time bids were to have been received for 129 miles of road.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Declaring there had been enough of secret diplomacy, Senator Johnson of California, an avowed candidate for the Republican presidential nomination said today in connection with the white house statement concerning American participation in an inquiry into the German reparations situation that the American people should be informed of all the communications and all of the facts regarding reparations.

He added that the people then could better decide what they desired this government to do.

"Reading the carefully phrased sentences," Senator Johnson said, "it is rather difficult to understand just what is sought of our government, or what the administration wishes to do. The old familiar appeal ever made for our entry into the league of nations—the appeal to our pockets—appears again now recalling our interest as a creditor but what are we to do? Are we to furnish a mere arithmetician to add, subtract, multiply and divide, or are we as Mr. Lloyd George suggested while here to fix certain definite sums and then enforce their collection?

"The American people would better decide what they desired this government to do if they were fully informed of all the communications and all of the facts. Why not tell them?

"The statement rather cryptically seems to suggest a participation in European affairs by private individuals only, designated American experts, invited and presumably named by the reparations commission and yet apparently the whole matter has been the subject of negotiations among the various governments concerned. Instead of a carefully edited statement, which can be variously read, our people are entitled to every fact and to all the communications. We've had enough of secret diplomacy."

At the same time several other agreements negotiated during the recess of congress were sent to the senate but, although their exact nature was not revealed, these were said to be comparatively unimportant. All were referred to the foreign relations committee.

Primarily a thief-taker, Mr. Pinkerton spent more than 50 years of his life running down criminals of all classes, yet he always stood ready to offer a helping hand to the unfortunate malefactor whose repentance was genuine and whose desire to reform was sincere.</p

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sire; and this desire must shorten thy sleep.—Ovid.

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## A THOUGHT

Heaven is my throne, and earth is my footstool; what house will ye build me? saith the Lord; or what is the place of my rest?

—Acts 7:49.

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## GREENE COUNTY MEDICS WILL MEET DECEMBER 14

Meeting of Greene County Medical Society to be held at Roodhouse—Other White Hall News

White Hall, Dec. 11.—The Greene County Medical society announces that the secretary, Dr. W. T. Knox, of White Hall, an important meeting to be held in Roodhouse on December 14 at 11 a. m. The following topics will be considered: "Common Fractures and Their Management," Dr. C. F. Sherwin, St. Louis; "Some Phases of Malaria," Dr. H. W. Smith, Roodhouse; "Abuse of Bromides," Dr. W. T. Knox, White Hall. The society has members at Carrollton, Elkhorn, Kane, Greenfield, White Hall, Roodhouse and Jacksonville.

At this writing arrangements had not been made for the funeral of Mrs. Lawrence Havlin, whose death at 7:30 p. m. Sunday was the result of uremic poisoning, with which she had been ill two weeks. She was about 25 years of age and was at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Overbey, when she died. A brother, Burrell Over-

## OH, GIRLS!



## WHITE HALL VETERAN ANSWERS FINAL CALL

Francis M. Winters Passed Away Tuesday Morning After Brief Illness—Funeral Arrangements Not Complete

White Hall, Dec. 11.—When the roll call of the Civil War was sounded for White Hall and vicinity this morning, Francis M. Winters was absent. The senior of the now twenty-one survivors of that conflict was taken ill with uremic poisoning less than twenty-four hours before his death, which occurred at 8 P. M. Monday in his home on East Bridgeport street, surrounded by his three sons, Don V. Mont R. and Vernon T., as well as his widow. One daughter, Mrs. Josephine Barrett, did not reach here from Owaneco, Illinois, until today.

Mr. Winters was the eldest of a family of seven brothers, of whom the only survivor is G. L. Winters, residing at Thomas, Oklahoma, aged 81 years, and his health does not permit his coming to the funeral. Those who have gone before are Samuel F., Solon W., Joshua H., Josephus N. and Byron G. Winters. They constituted an exceptionally intelligent and useful group of citizens, but they came from valued stock, their father being Lieut. Col. J. C. Winters of the 59th Illinois Infantry, also holding the distinction of major in the Mexican war. The subject of this sketch served as a private in Company G, 59th Illinois Infantry, of which company his distinguished father was captain until his promotion to major and then to lieutenant colonel of the same regiment.

The deceased was born on the Winters homestead farm, three miles east of White Hall July 27, 1838, and there he grew to manhood, attended the district school and entered the service of his country at the call of Abraham Lincoln.

After his return from the army, having been discharged because of disability, he and Elizabeth Ann Large were married, February 20, 1864, and their four children, mentioned at the outset of this article, survived. She died February 26, 1889. On December 2, 1891, he and Emma Strang were married, she dying October 13, 1913, and the surviving widow, formerly Mrs. Minnie Conlee, is now the sole occupant of the home. They were married October 8, 1914.

Mr. Winters was active in patriotic circles all his years of maturity and previous. He was one of the original White Hall Widowers, and has been active in G. A. R. circles since the founding of Culver post in White Hall. He was also a member of the Masonic fraternity and of the Presbyterian church. He was an all-around good citizen, an honor to the great White Hall family of which he was a member.

Funeral arrangements are now under way, but it is doubtful if final arrangements can be reached today.

### ILLINOIS DAIRY MEN WILL MEET

The fiftieth annual convention of Illinois State Dairymen's Association to be held in Danville January 8, 9 and 10 will be a memorable event. It bids fair to have the largest show of dairy cattle in the association's history. The program will be made of dairy demonstration and judging, addresses by leading dairymen on the most vital dairy topics and an impressive and attractive demonstration of milk and milk products in the diet. The possibilities of the dairy business, the way to conduct it, the care of the dairy cow and other subjects of the greatest importance to dairymen will furnish a fund of information. Those who attend cannot be disappointed but, on the other hand, will realize full value for the time and expense.

The whole convention will be housed in the new Armory, which is located near the hotels, and besides the program of addresses there will be other features that will add to the interest of the meeting.

Danville has subscribed liberally to a premium fund, especially to make the dairy cattle show a success. The cattle will be housed in the basement of the Armory—Holsteins and Ayrshires are to be shown together and Jerseys and Guernseys. In each of these classes there will be cash prizes of \$15.00, \$10.00 and \$5.00 for bulls two years old and over, bull one year old and under, two, bull calf under one year and same for cows. Cows up to the same amounts are offered get of sire, two and one-half produce of cow two animals. There is a cash dairy herd prize of \$25.00 for one bull and four females and a second prize of \$10.00. There are young herd prizes of \$15.00 and \$10.00 cash and like amounts for calf herd, one bull and two heifers. The champion bull will get \$15.00 and the champion cow \$15.00. The best register of merit cow will get \$25.00 and second \$15.00 and like prizes are up for the best and second A. R. O. cow. For the two classes these cash prizes total \$700.00.

Tuesday the opening day of the convention will be occupied with cattle judging and a dairy cow demonstration lecture. Tuesday evening will be in charge of the National Dairy Council, which is preparing to illustrate in little plays, in which school children take part, the value and necessity of milk in the diet.

## COMMITTEES NAMED FOR ASBURY SUPPER

At the baked chicken supper to be given by the membership of the Asbury church in the basement of the church Thursday evening, beginning at 5:30 o'clock the menu will consist of plum pudding and all other things which delight the inner man.

The committees in charge of the affair have just been announced:

Men—Mrs. Rex Ranson, Mrs. Chauncey Carter, and Miss Ruth Hembrough.

Bazar—Mrs. Harry Trotter, Mrs. Ed Barrows, and Mrs. Chauncey Carter.

Decorations—Misses Elizabeth and Ruth Hembrough, Mrs. Robert Hembrough and Mrs. Everett Reynolds.

Chicken—Mrs. Thomas Young, Mrs. John Cully.

Potatoes—Mrs. William Morris, and Mrs. Hugh Voorhees.

Coffee—Mrs. E. R. Hembrough.

Salad—Mrs. Nellie Reynolds.

Plum pudding—Mrs. Frank Hembrough.

Candy—Mrs. Everett Reynolds and Miss Grace Hembrough.

Tickets—Harry Trotter and John Cully.

Collectors—Ed Barrows, Earl Hembrough and E. R. Hembrough.

Tables—Mrs. John Becker, Mrs. L. A. Reed, Mrs. Rex Ranson, Miss Ruth Hembrough, Miss Eva Mortimer, Mrs. Robert Hembrough, Mrs. Earl Hembrough, Mrs. E. R. Hembrough, Mrs. Date White and a large number of assistants.

## ASBURY.

Asbury bazaar and annual baked chicken and plum pudding supper will be held in the church basement Thursday evening December 13, beginning about five o'clock. Everybody invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meggison had the pleasure of listening in on their Radio to the message to congress of President Coolidge.

Billie Hembrough of Peoria spent the first of the week with his aunt Mrs. C. L. Hembrough.

Miss Eva Mortimer and Mrs. Carl Hembrough attended the meeting of the Jacksonville Woman's Club Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reed were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McKeon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Craig visited their nephew Gilger Crowe who is a patient at the Passavant hospital.

Calvert Winsborough was a St. Louis visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Parker on West State street recently.

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proceeds are to go for the benefit of the new church.

Arrangements are being made for a Christmas program which will be given by the school children on the afternoon before school closes for the holidays.

This program is being well worked out by the teacher, Miss General.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson were Jacksonville shoppers Saturday.

## FOR SALE

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## SELECTION OF PLACE FOR CONVENTION IS POSTPONED FOR DAY

Much Time Spent in Routine Business by Republican Committee

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. (AP)—Selection of Cleveland for the 1924 Republican convention as favored by administration leaders, was foreshadowed today at

the opening session of the Republican National Committee. With the Cleland movement in open evidence, Republicans of Des Moines and San Francisco, went thru the formalities of present invitations, but another indication of the expected result was their added invitation for the 1918 Republican gathering.

The vote on the convention city went over until tomorrow together with other questions before the committee. June 10 was regarded generally as the

probable date for the 1924 gathering.

While the committee was engaged largely on routine business today underground, the tide of the campaign was flowing with political strategy toward the 1924 campaign.

Nearly all of the committee men today answered the gavel of Chairman Adams, together with a large majority of associate women members.

### Enjoy Banquet

All gathered together tonight at a banquet tendered by the committee officers. President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge will be hosts tomorrow at a white house luncheon after adjournment of the committee meeting.

The women committee members will hold a separate meeting tomorrow afternoon and be entertained tomorrow night at a dinner by Mrs. Leonard Wood, of Pennsylvania.

At the banquet tonight Republican doctrine was expounded in addresses by Chairman Adams Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania, H. L. Remmel, Arkansas committeman, and Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton of Ohio committee vice-chairman.

Thru the proceedings today ran a constant note of the Republican loss in the death of President Harding and tomorrow the committee will adopt formal memorial resolutions.

The only controversy in today's proceedings was over the new reappointment of delegates to the 1924 convention, ordered by the 1920 convention by which the Southern States suffer a cut of 23 votes while those of some southern and northern states are increased. This was attacked and defended at the meeting, but action went over until tomorrow. The reappointment calls for 1,036 votes as against 984 in the last convention.

### Ask Representation

Leading the attack upon the reduced Southern representation were delegation of negroes headed by Perry Howard, of Mississippi. They demanded that every congressional district be allowed at least one delegate.

Mr. Remmel warned the committee that negroes hold the balance of power in many northern states.

One speaker recalled that Senator Lodge of Massachusetts

was re-elected by a majority of 5,000 and declared that Mr. Lodge would have been defeated but for votes of the "15,000 Journeying Georgians."

Defending the reappointment Senator Howell of Neb., chairman of the sub-committee in charge said it was designed to meet long standing complaints of "scandals," relating to southern delegates and their control in past conventions. Deploring reopening of the controversy he declared the reappointment was a closed matter and could be changed only by the 1924 convention.

"It would be disastrous to change it now in the face of a convention," Senator Howell said, reciting the history of the movement to adjust the strength of Northern Republican voters with that of the "solid south."

"We should do justice to the Northern Republican voters as well as the Southern," he concluded.

## ICE BOUND SHIP IS FULLY EQUIPPED FOR WIRELESS MESSAGES

Has No Voice Apparatus But Makes Use of Morse Code

CHICAGO, Dec. 11. (A.P.)—Benefit of the experience of Dr. Donald B. MacMillan, now ice-locked in his ship, Bowdoin, on the northwestern coast of Greenland, has been offered to the Arctic expedition planned by the United States navy according to a statement issued tonight by E. F. McDonald, Jr., president of the National Association of Broadcasters.

Mr. McDonald has informed Rear Admiral W. A. Moffett, director of naval aeronautics, that he has communicated with Dr. MacMillan and that the explorer stands ready to give the navy adventurers any assistance within his power.

Dr. MacMillan's ship is equipped with wireless sending and receiving apparatus and this fact has enabled radio students all over North America to make tests for the first time of the possibilities of wireless communication with the Arctic regions.

Mr. McDonald who accompanied the MacMillan expedition which left Wiscasset, Maine, June 23, 1923, as far as Battle Harbor, Labrador, in discussing the radio sending equipment with which the boat is equipped, stated:

"It was impossible to equip Captain MacMillan's ship with broadcasting, or voice apparatus. It is equipped with sending apparatus, using two 50 watt power tubes which can be forced to 200 watts each, giving a total output of 400 watts and radiating thru the antenna, seven amperes. The MacMillan ship was in almost constant communication by wireless Morse code from the date of sailing until July 29. From July 29 to August 28 nothing was heard from the Bowdoin, because this was during the 24 hour daylight, seeing its first darkness in September.

"Since September, Captain MacMillan had been in communication almost daily with the United States and Canada. In spite of the fact that scientists before his sailing predicted that he would never be able to penetrate the auroral band with radio."

### WESTMINSTER NOTES

The Housekeepers Class of the Bible School, is to be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clarence Massey, 84 West Lafayette Ave.

The Ladies Aid Society meets with Mrs. Walter Bradish on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Professor Schneider will meet the Boy Scouts, Troop Eight on Thursday evening at 7 promptly. The opportunity to have basket ball in the college gymnasium will be brought before the troop. "Tenderfoot" tests will be made.

This evening the Congregational supper will be held at 6:30. Mrs. B. F. Shafer and Mrs. William L. Breeding are the committee in charge of the supper. Various loyal members will contribute food, coffee and cocoan will be served and a nominal charge of ten cents will be made. After the supper the pastor will lead the study class in "Stewardship" and will tell how the subject was treated at the recent Cleveland convention. A live class is expected.

### ATTACHMENT SALE

Household goods, furniture, rugs, etc., at Straw's Garage 220 West Court Street, J. P. M. Thursday, Dec. 13.—Ben T. Scott Constable. 12-12-21

LOST—Umbrella in Ayers Bank building, one week ago. Call 386X. Reward. 12-12-1t

### FOR SALE

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John Myers will hold a public sale on his farm 4 miles south of Lynnwood and 7 miles east of Winchester, December 19, consisting of corn, implements and live stock, hogs cholera immune. 12-14-3t

## BRIEFS

## SPEAKER SAYS SHIP NECESSARY ARTICLE OF FARM EQUIPMENT

IS Strong Believer in Surplus Production on Farms

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Surplus production was advocated today by J. R. Howard, president of the National Transportation Institute in an address here before the convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Mr. Howard said that surplus production was an essential to social progress but was of no account unless it could be transported from producer to consumer. In this connection he urged highway improvement and the development of a merchant marine.

Mr. Howard also criticized railroads which while strenuously opposing any interference in the way of amendment to the transportation act, are now seeking to get around the recapture clause of the act.

At the same time he held that the desire to avoid unnecessary railroad legislation is commendable.

Tomorrow the federation will elect officers. Those mentioned most prominently for the office of president are C. W. Settle of Indiana, Leonard Allen of Illinois and the incumbent, O. E. Bradfute of Iowa.

"I am a firm believer in surplus production on farm, mine and factory alike," said Mr. Howard. "Living standards are never advanced except by the production of surpluses. People too often forget this. But a surplus of anything is of no account unless it can be moved or transported from producer to consumer."

### Ships Necessary

"A ship is as much a necessary part of farm equipment as is a plow or a wagon."

"The so-called recapture provision of the transportation act is now in controversy. This recapture clause compels the return by the carrier thru the interstate commerce commission to the government of half the earnings of any railroad company in excess of a fair return, now filed by the interstate commerce commission at 5 3/4 per cent for any year. It is an expediency in fact for the equalizing of earnings and opportunities between the weak road and the strong one."

"A number of the stronger railroads have earned more than the specified 5 3/4 per cent income and the government thru the interstate commerce commission stands good to become the beneficiary to the extent of millions of dollars."

"The roads are now seeking to get around the recapture act by testing the constitutionality of that clause in the United States courts. It would certainly be more graceful on their part if they want to avoid performance of any clause of the transportation act if they would only say the word rather than resort to the subterfuge of the courts. My personal opinion is that the recapture clause is in the public interest."

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7 large rolls for ..... 25c

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### MAKES IMPORTANT

#### DISCOVERY IN MEDICINE

New York, Dec. 11.—Discovery of a fluid for injection into the arteries, whereby white corpuscles are strengthened and multiplied for the battle against disease or infection, was claimed today by Dr. Burr Ferguson of the United States Health Department, in service at Southampton, on his arrival on the Majestic. The fluid he said is based on a solution of salicylate of mercury and has been perfected by him after years of experimentation. He declared its efficacy had been proven in many instances. He declines to dis-

cuss his discovery in detail saying he was on his way to Washington to report to his superiors after which he will go to his home in Birmingham, Ala.

### NEW YORK CITY WEATHER BREAKS RECORD

New York, Dec. 11.—Never before in the history of the weather bureau has New York City gone snowless as late as this date, Observer Scarf announced today. He pointed out also that today was the twenty-first consecutive day on which the temperature was above the average for corresponding dates in other years.

## Gift Suggestions From Our Shop

Framed Pictures and Mottoes; Bud Vases; Prismas for Candle Sticks; Plastic Art Baskets and Trays; Handkerchief Cases; Ladies' Purses; Pohlsom Boxed Gifts; Flower Bowls; Dutch Silver Trays and Baskets; Toys and Children's Books; Fountain Pens and Ever Sharp Pencils; Mah-Jongg, the new Chinese game. Headquarters for Greeting Cards.

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## SOCIAL EVENTS

Entertained at Cards  
A. H. Bennett an employee of the American Express Co. entertained his fellow employees at his home on South Clay avenue Monday evening. The evening was spent at cards and everyone present departed with many thanks to their host for the enjoyable occasions.

### Hi Y Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Hi Y club was held last evening at Centenary church, with forty-seven in attendance. Theodore Wetzell led in cheers for the ladies who had served an excellent supper. It was reported by the president that the club would sponsor the play, "The Messiah," to be given at the high school on Dec. 14, and would receive a per cent

of the profits. The finance committee of the club consisting of Robert R. Old, Edwin Saye, Willard Johnson, Kenneth Rawlings and William Chapman will have charge of the play.

Some of the boys who attended the Galesburg conference next made brief reports. The conference group sang a song in fine style, after which the meeting was adjourned.

### U. C. T. Club to Meet

The U. C. T. Woman's club held a social meeting at the home of Mrs. D. L. McCarty with Mrs. George Brady as joint hostess this afternoon. Each member will bring a gift for the grab bag, work for the bazaar will be continued, and delightful refreshments are planned.

### Entertained Strawn's Crossing Club

The Strawn's Crossing Woman's club met with Mrs. Homer Cuivis' husband, and the Christmas idea was prevalent.

The roll call was answered by each member with a Christmas dinner suggestion. The paper on "Dope a Present Day Menace," read by Mrs. Ernest Strawn, and Mrs. Ed Surgeon's paper on "Character-forming Influences" were the features of the afternoon's program.

### Had Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rains entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner last evening at their home, 143 West Chambers street, in honor of Mrs. Lela Hobbs, it being her birthday. A few of her intimate friends were present and the evening was spent in a pleasant social intercourse.

### W. P. Club Met.

The W. P. Club held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Grover Part on South East street. The affair as in celebration of the birthdays of Mrs. Part and Mrs. Adam Ehrhart. The guests brought substantial refreshments and spent the afternoon.

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noon pleasantly in conversation and sewing.

### Alexander Woman's Club Meets Today.

The regular meeting of the Alexander Woman's club will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Kumle, Mrs. O. E. Ryan will read a paper on the subject: "How Christmas Cheer is Brought to the Poor and Unfortunate." Mrs. Charles Drury will present a description of "The Twine Industry." Roll call will be answered with suggestions as to whether all one's time is required in order to be a good housekeeper.

### Trinity Bazaar

The Trinity Hall was the scene of a very attractive and successful bazaar, when the Woman's Guild, under the direction of its president Mrs. Charles Brown, held its annual Christmas market there Tuesday.

The committees in charge were as follows:

Fancy Work—Mrs. W. D. Capps, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Andrew Russell and Mrs. John Bellatti.

Apron Table—Mrs. Lloyd Brown, Mrs. Elmer Hatfield and Mrs. Henry Capps.

Art Table—Mrs. Parker Doan.

Food Table—Mrs. Charles Fawcett and Mrs. Harry Andre.

American Date Table—Candy and Christmas Candies—Miss Anne Bellatti, chairman; assisted by girls of the Altar Guild.

**Fourth Ward P. T. Association**

A program consisting of songs by the lower and upper grade pupils and a reading by Mrs. Ben Roodhouse will be the features of the Fourth Ward Parent-Teachers Association, which will meet at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The association will hold a candy sale at the school Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. The committee in charge is as follows: Chairman—Mrs. Paul Breckon, Mrs. P. H. Griggs, Mrs. Louise Kelly, Mrs. George Bussey, Mrs. A. H. Dollear, Mrs. V. R. Riley, Mrs. Edgar Stout.

**Congregational Young People Had Party**

The Senior Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church gave a party at the Pilgrim Memorial Tuesday evening.

The affair was attended by about thirty young people and was planned for the purpose of raising money to carry on the Endeavor work. Games of various kinds were played and there was also dancing during the evening. Eskimo pies were sold and quite a tidy sum realized.

The party was in charge of a committee including Miss Margaret Hyer, chairman; Edith Putnam and Stanley Wood.

**Gave Card Party.**

Mrs. Henry C. Goebel of Sandusky street entertained eight tables at bridge Tuesday afternoon. It was a very enjoyable party.

Mrs. W. R. Burmeister of Sinclair was a caller in the city yesterday.

**Crabtree**

William Isaac Crabtree, a long

time resident of this county, and a retired farmer, died at his home in South Jacksonville last night at 7:30 o'clock after an illness of pneumonia.

Mr. Crabtree was a son of J. C. and Martha Crabtree and was born near Winchester on April 4, 1851.

The decedent was united in marriage to Chastina Fisher in this city in 1873. Five children survive him, three daughters, Morna Fanning and Zula Brown of Jacksonville, and Ina M. Osborne of Kempton, North Dakota, and two sons, Elmer of Spokane, Washington, and Fred at home. He is also survived by one brother, Newton Crabtree, of Paris, Mo., and twelve grandchildren. Mayor E. E. Crabtree is a nephew of the deceased.

For many years Mr. Crabtree with his family lived on a farm south of Murrayville, where he was held in the highest regard, and always ready to greet his friends in his cheery manner. About ten years ago he moved to South Jacksonville where he has resided until the time of his death.

The deceased was a member of the M. E. church of Murrayville, the I. O. O. F. No. 415 and the M. W. A. No. 924 of that place.

Funeral services will be announced later and burial will be in the Diamond Grove cemetery.

**Lukeman.**

Word was received in this city of the death of Mrs. Caroline Lukeman by W. E. Mayfield, 610 South East street, who is a brother of Mrs. Lukeman. Mrs. Lukeman was at one time very widely known and a popular resident of this city.

The decedent, at the time of her death was about 65 years of age and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayfield of Franklin, Illinois. She was the widow of Frank Lukeman who predeceased her in death many years ago.

She received her early school

ing in the Franklin public schools

and was a graduate of the Waverly High School and of the Illinois Woman's college of this city. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of Franklin and a number of other societies and also very popular as a resident of Franklin.

After the death of her husband who was a farmer and grain dealer in Franklin, Mrs. Lukeman moved to this city where she had purchased property on North Church street. She lived here for about a year after which she moved to Los Angeles, where she was a resident until the time of her death which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Hurst on December 7. No information has been received here in regard to the funeral arrangements but it is believed that she will be buried in Los Angeles.

Surviving her are one daughter, Mrs. A. H. Hurst of Los Angeles; four sons, Claude, Guy, Samuel and William, all residents of California; two brothers, Ripley Mayfield of Trinidad, Colo., and W. E. Mayfield of Jacksonville, and two sisters, Mrs. Frances and Cote of San Francisco, Cal., and Belle Mayfield of Macon county, Ill.

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## CHRISTMAS CLUB TO RECEIVE CHECKS

Thirty Thousand Dollars Will Be Distributed Today Among Farrell State Bank Christmas Club Members.

Today members of the Christmas Saving club of 1923 of the Farrell State bank will receive their checks. About \$30,000 will be distributed to members of this year's club, the sum represented by about 600 checks. It has been the experience of the bank in previous years that approximately 50 percent of the Christmas club money upon payment was deposited in the general or savings department of the bank, the remainder going into the general channels of trade.

The past year the Farrell State bank has had but five different classes of depositors in the Christmas saving plan, 25c, 50c \$1, \$2 and \$5 week. In some previous years the plan provided for an increasing deposit with each week, but the 1923 system has proved the most satisfactory and will be followed in the organization and operation of the 1924 club.

There can be no doubt about the benefits of the Christmas Saving club and the five years' experience of the Farrell State bank shows increasing deposits with a larger interest in the plan year to year. Christmas Saving clubs not only make funds available for depositors at the season of the year when it is most convenient to have funds, but also encourage habits of saving and thrift.

**DEATHS**

## Glass

Notice of the death of Miss Ada Glass, daughter of Thomas A. Glass of Decatur was received Monday night by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cooper of this city. The deceased is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.

The remains will arrive this evening over the Wabash and will then be taken to the Gilham Funeral Home.

The funeral will be held at the Second Baptist church Thursday morning at 10:00 o'clock with Rev. H. H. DeWitt officiating. The deceased would have been sixteen years of age next January.

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In the partition suit of Beulah Lurton Cunningham, et al v. William C. Lurton, et al, the master's report was filed and approved.

The report of the commissioners was filed and approved and the decree for sale was filed and approved.

In the suit of Leland T. Capps

vs. Herbert J. Capps, the amended

bill, answer and replication

was filed. By agreement the suit

was dismissed at the costs of the defendant.

In the foreclosure suit of C. O. Bayha, Trustee vs. Edward L. Vaughn the master's report was filed and approved. Decree for foreclosure was filed and approved.

Decree appointing C. O. Bayha receiver to care for the property and collect rents upon entering into bond in the sum of \$500 with O. F. Buffe as surety to be taken by the clerk.

In the foreclosure suit of the City of Jacksonville vs. John Frank, Paul J. Frank, G. A. Hare, and A. A. Curry, the master's report was filed and approved and a decree of foreclosure was filed and approved.

In the divorce suit of Marie Branom vs. Anthony Branom the decree was rendered, approved and affirmed. Cause stricken.

In the case of Thomas E. Cockin vs. Charles M. Strawn, Term No. 74, Gen. No. 12,490 on the law do

## ELM GROVE

Mrs. E. L. Hammel received a sad message Sunday night of the railroad accident in New York which killed her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sullivan of Springfield, also their daughter and her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Scholfield and daughter, Mrs. F. W. Scholfield and grandson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Colton of Woodson.

Quite a few from this neighborhood attended the funeral of Mr. Campbell in Lynnville Sunday morning.

George and Kate Moore and Edwin Lewis were Sunday visitors.

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## WINCHESTER LODGE ELECTED OFFICERS

Eastern Star Names New Officers at Recent Meeting—Other Winchester News Notes

Winchester, Dec. 11.—The Eastern Star held the regular meeting Monday evening, when the following officers were elected for the coming year:

W. M.—Mrs. Mildred Cowick, W. P.—Oscar Glossup.

Associate matron—Mrs. Cora Funk.

Conductress—Mrs. Charles Coultais.

Assistant conductress—Mrs. Isabel Cowick.

Secretary—Mrs. James Overton.

Treasurer—Miss Louise Frost.

After the business session a reception was held for Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Glossup, both of whom hold office in the lodge. Mr. and Mrs. Glossup were presented a set of tablespoons in token of the esteem of the lodge members. Light refreshments were served and in every way it was a pleasant occasion.

**A Successful Sale**

William D. Watt held a sale of farm implements and livestock Monday which was well attended. The sale had been postponed from last week on account of bad weather. Mr. Watt returned Saturday to his home in Chandler, leaving Claude Thomas in charge of the sale. The auctioneers were Messrs. Sappington and Lawless and the clerk was W. L. Bagshaw. The ladies of the Baptist church served lunch.

**News Notes**

Ben Franklin had the misfortune to be shot and slightly injured while trapping several miles from Winchester Monday. Joe Grout and party of young men were out quail hunting, and young Franklin was shot in the face by one of the hunters. Franklin was a considerable distance from the hunters and they were not aware of his presence until after the shot was fired. They went at once to his aid and Dr. J. W. Eckman was called. The young man was immediately taken to Jacksonville where the shot were removed and he is now well on the way to recovery. One of the shot lodged just beneath the eye and another in the side of the face but they were removed without difficulty. The accident was a regrettable one but all concerned are congratulating themselves that it had no more serious consequences.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church had a benefit program at the Lyric Monday evening. "Timothy's Quest" by Kate Douglas Wiggin and "The Runaway Train" were shown. A quartet composed of W. M. Gish, Albert Buckley, Paul Stehman and Wesley Andell furnished two numbers between

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## PYTHIANS ELECT NEW LEADERS IN WAVERLY LODGE

the pictures and received a hearty encore. The Winchester orchestra also furnished some splendid music.

During the evening the ladies sold candy and popcorn and the receipts were considered very satisfactory.

Rev. O. W. Lough attended the Presbytery in Springfield Monday.

Lou Hieronymous of Jacksonville spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Breeding of Jacksonville were visitors here Monday.

**Grace Church Doings**

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Breeding of Jacksonville were visitors here Monday.

**Waverly, Dec. 11.**—The Knights of Pythias held their annual election of officers last week, the result of the election being as follows:

C. C. Charles H. Challans.

V. C.—R. G. Gardner.

Prelate—J. H. Sevier.

K. of R. & S.—Carl Blair.

M. of F.—Charles F. Allen.

M. of A.—F. L. Davenport.

M. of W.—Grover Hart.

M. of Ex.—F. R. Pugh.

Trustee—R. Ester.

Mrs. Ida Wells was a caller in Springfield Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown of Peoria spent several days last week visiting with Mrs. Eliza Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moffet of Larned, Kansas, have been spending the past week at the home of the former's twin brother, A. C. Moffet, and during the visit the twins celebrated their birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moulton were callers in Springfield Saturday.

Prof. A. F. Beck, coach at W. T. H. S., made the address at the Congregational church Sunday morning, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. O. R. Thom.

Rev. H. S. Lucas, pastor of the Baptist church, did not occupy his pulpit Sunday, he being at Arthur, where he is conducting the singing in an evangelistic meeting.

Rev. J. N. Thomas, pastor of the Christian church, addressed his congregation Sunday morning on the subject "More Than Conquerors," and at night on "The Sure Foundation."

A very pretty home wedding occurred on Thanksgiving day, when Miss Lena Mann was united in marriage to Dorman Richard of Davenport, the wedding taking place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rella Mann, of near Lowder. About 125 relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony, said by Rev. C. W. Andrews of the M. E. circuit. Miss Norma Scribner of Waverly was bridesmaid and Melvin Richard of Carlinville the best man. After the ceremony a three course luncheon was served by friends of the bride. Misses Mildred and Armetta Skeens, Opal Merrick, Viol and Hattie Prickett, Lucile Jones, Anna Quinn, Lillie Campbell, Esther Guest and Louise, Bernice and Ruth Frantz.

The woman's Foreign Missionary society will have charge of the regular mid-week prayer service. Everyone is invited to attend this Christ mass offering service.

The Father and Son Banquet will be held on Friday evening at 6:15.

Men of the church and congregation who have not signed up for a boy, are asked to get in touch with Mr. Breckon. It is hoped to make this a great meeting, so all the men are urged to cooperate.

## MURRAYVILLE

Miss Lorene Sooy, who is studying music under Prof. Munger at Jacksonville attended a recital there Thursday evening given by him, and remained over the week end for a visit with her cousin, Miss Mae Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Solomon and family were guests at supper Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Reaugh Jennings of Jacksonville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jennings and family.

The W. F. M. S. will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Kennedy and will hold a market Saturday afternoon, Dec. 15th in the town hall.

Miss Dora Smith of Jacksonville was a week end guest of home folks here.

Rev. W. C. Harms spent last week in Kane, assisting his brother who is pastor of the M. E. church there, in revival services.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Doyle of Jacksonville spent the first of the week with her mother, Mrs. Mary Wright and family.

Mrs. C. T. Daniel who was quite seriously ill last week is somewhat improved at this time.

Miss Mildred Ragan spent the week end with Miss Ruth Beadles.

Revival services will begin at the M. E. church Sunday, Jan. 6.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will give an entertainment New Years eve in Carlson's hall.

Austin King was called to Kansas City, Mo., Sunday by the death of a very dear friend.

T. G. Beadles and family were guests at dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson and Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Spencer and son Clarence, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright Monday evening and listened to President Coolidge's memorial address for the late President Harding over the radio.

The Past Noble Grand club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. W. Meheff.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Morris and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Cook of LaPorte, Ind., visited in Jacksonville last Sunday at the home of Will Cook and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reach and son, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Morris and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Cook of LaPorte, Ind., visited in Jacksonville last Sunday at the home of Will Cook and family.

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Others present at the meeting

were: Miss Eva Viers, Chief Kilian, Rev. G. E. Stickney, Dr. R. V. Brokaw, B. F. Shaffer, Frank Heintz, Mrs. Thomas Hopper, Alvin Metcalf, Dr. Ellsworth Black, T. W. Beadle, Miss Rieman, R. C. Henley, and Rev. G. W. Randle.

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## CALIFORNIA SUFFERS FROM COLD WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 11 (AP)—The cold snap that has settled over Northern and Central California and parts of Southern California in the past four days showed signs of moderation tonight, according to the United States Weather Bureau here.

While sections of the middle west, which usually suffers freezing temperatures at this time of year are reported enjoying mild weather, this state has experienced killing frosts, particularly in the San Joaquin Valley. Weather bureau officials said this condition frequently happens and that frosts are expected in this state early in December.

The heaviest frosts were experienced early this morning and yesterday morning but indications were, weather authorities asserted that only light frosts would be felt tonight in the interior of Northern and Central California and in a few sections in the southern part of the state.

## CITY AND COUNTY

William Morrow was an Alexander visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Anna May Strowmatt of Roodhouse was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Joe Eldridge of Sinclair was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Rev. W. C. Harms of Murrayville was a caller in the city yesterday.

William Anderton was a business visitor in the city yesterday from Franklin.

Mrs. Glenn E. Skinner and Miss Ora Blair were St. Louis visitors Monday.

## ASBURY BAZAR

and baked chicken supper Thurs., Dec. 13. Begin serving at 5:30, at Asbury church. On oiled road.

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Frank Wemple of Waverly was a business caller in the city yesterday.

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Let's make it an old fashion Christmas this year for the little folks in the family. This means the giving of lots of dolls and toys. We cannot tell you in this space all about the dolls and toys we have. So we invite you to come to the store and "look around." You'll find "everything on wheels": Locomotives, Fire Engines, Hook and Ladder Wagons, Automobiles—table after table chock full of just the things small boys and girls want.

Here is good news for the girlies. The pre-war Character Doll is back again, the first we have been able to get for several years. It's a beauty: movable head, arms and legs, eyes that open and shut—just the doll all little girls love to mother.

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**RETURNS TO CHICAGO**  
William D. Alexander who came here to attend the funeral of L. B. Smith returned last night to his home in Chicago. Mr. Alexander being a well known Jacksonville citizen has been re-

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## GOV. SMALL CLUB IS ORGANIZED IN CITY

Officers Chosen and Committees Named at Meeting Held Tuesday—Will Stage Drive for 3,000 Members

A Morgan County Len Small Republican club was organized Tuesday evening at an enthusiastic meeting held by Morgan county Republicans. Organization was effected by the selection of officers and a number of committees. The goal is 3,000 memberships in Morgan county and steps were taken for the selection of permanent headquarters and for an active campaign in behalf of the governor.

Hon. William J. Butler, an attorney of Springfield, came to the city Tuesday afternoon as an organizer of clubs. He met with a number of Republicans and shortly afterward arrangements were made for a duck dinner to be served at the Peacock Inn at 6 o'clock. At this time further plans for the organization were discussed in detail.

Mr. Butler was introduced and made an excellent address dealing chiefly with the events of Governor Small's administration. The speaker pointed out numerous accomplishments of the administration and gave various reasons why it would be in the public interest and for the benefit of the state to nominate and re-elect the governor.

The audience was also told of the formation and progress of the Sangamon county Governor Small club. F. L. Sharpe and others made short talks and subsequently by unanimous vote the name, "The Morgan County Len Small Republican club" was chosen.

There was such earnestness of purpose that an election of officers was decided upon and it was agreed that an aggressive campaign shall begin at once to bring about the active support of the governor by a large group of Morgan county people.

**Officers Chosen**  
The following officers for the club were duly elected:

President—J. Marshall Miller.

Vice president—Fred L. Sharpe.

Secretary—William Brooks.

Assistant secretary—R. W. Leggett.

Treasurer—R. L. Dye.

The following members of committees were chosen:

Organization—Fred L. Sharpe, R. W. Woolston, Ben Davenport of Alexander, Jeff Duckett of Chapin, D. L. Bentley, Jerome Culp, John W. Baptist, Charles Starks, Clarence Thompson of Arcadia, Frank Green of Sinclair, Dr. R. C. Henley, E. A. Ranson of Lynnville.

Finance—Dr. J. M. Wolfe, George Wheeler of Sinclair, M. L. Hildreth.

Executive—Col. O. C. Smith,

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## Governor Len Small



(Morgan County Club Supporting Him Has Just Been Organized)

## STATE TEACHERS TO MEET IN SPRINGFIELD

Teachers of State to Meet in Springfield December 26-28—Will be Largest Meeting of Teachers in Illinois During Year.

Superintendent of Schools H. H. Vasconcellos has received the program of a meeting of the Illinois State Teachers' Association, which will be held in the Centennial Building, at Springfield, December 26, 27, and 28.

This meeting will be the largest teachers meeting to be held in the state of Illinois during the year and will be quite largely attended by teachers from this county.

The programs is as follows:

**First General Session**

**Wednesday Evening, Dec. 26**

7:30—Music, Girls' Glee Club, Ridgley School, Springfield; Miss Swain in charge.

7:45—Call to order by President William B. Owen.

Greetings. Governor Len Small. Presentation of Honors to Successful Contestant in the State Spelling Contest; Roy L. Moore.

8:15—President's Address, Mr. William B. Owen.

9:00—Address: "One Viewpoint on Agricultural Economics."

Mr. Aaron Sapiro, San Francisco, California.

10:00—Appointment of Committees.

10:10—Meeting of Committee on Nominations. Mrs. Bertha S. Armbruster, Chairman.

**Second General Session**

**Thursday Morning, December 27**

9:00—Report of Committee on Credentials, Mr. E. C. Pruitt, Springfield, Chairman. Motions Introducing New Business.

9:20—Report of the Secretary Mr. Robert C. Moore.

9:40—Report of the Treasurer, Mr. Charles McIntosh.

9:50—Report of the State Director of the N. E. A.

Mrs. Sarah L. Thomas.

10:10—Report of the Committee on Legislation. Mr. E. C. Fisher, Chairman.

10:40—Report of Committee on Revision of Constitution. Mr. Leo R. Klinge, Chairman.

11:00—Address, "The Social Value of Literature."

Dr. R. L. Lyman, University of Chicago.

**Third General Session**

**Thursday Afternoon, Dec. 27**

1:45—Music, Group of Songs, Third Grade Pupils, Lincoln and Matheny Schools, Springfield. Miss Lloyd in charge.

2:00—Report of Committee on Resolutions. Mr. O. L. Manchester, Chairman.

2:20—Address, "Combining English and Social Science."

Dr. R. L. Lyman, University

of Chicago, Motions Introducing New Business.

3:15—Address, "The Fundamentals of a Progressive Education." Mr. Frank D. Slutz, Dayton, Ohio.

**Fourth General Session**

**Thursday Evening, Dec. 27**

7:30—Music, Springfield High School Male Quartet.

Miss Berghofen in charge.

7:45—Address, "Main Streets of the East and West." Miss Florence M. Hale, Department of Education, Maine.

8:50—Address, "The Making of a Great Race." Dr. Edward A. Steiner, Grinnell College, Iowa.

10:00—Reception, Officers to Delegates and Members; Leland Hotel.

**Fifth General Session**

**Friday Morning, December 28**

9:00—Report of Committee on Appropriations. Mrs. Bertha S. Armbruster, Chairman.

9:15—Report of Committee on Publicity, Mrs. Carleton W. Washburne, Chairman.

9:30—Report of Committee on Nominations. Mrs. Bertha S. Armbruster, Chairman. Election.

10:00—Report of Committee on Teacher Training. Mr. David Felmyer, Chairman.

10:15—Address, "The Challenge of the County School."

Miss Florence H. Hale, Maine.

12:00—Adjournment.

Other themes announced are as follows:

"Educational Work," F. M. Condit, Beardstown, chairman.

"County Federations," H. C. Tunison, White Hall, chairman.

"Business Outlook in Farming Communities" A. C. Moffet, Waverly.

"Co-operation of Bankers in Neighboring counties" W. M. Gish, Winchester.

The occasion promises to be one of interest and pleasure for bankers of the two counties.

Dr. C. S. Bowman of Alsey was transacting business in this city Tuesday.

## BANKERS TO MEET IN CITY THURSDAY

Bankers of Morgan and Scott counties will attend a dinner to be given at Colonial Inn tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. A year ago the Morgan-Scott county federation of bankers was organized and all the members of the club have been invited to a meeting as guests of the bankers of Jacksonville.

M. F. Dunlap, president of the federation, will preside and following the serving of the dinner a series of informal talks will be given. Hon. H. L. Chapman of Jerseyville who is chairman of group 8 of the Illinois Bankers association, will have as his theme "The Uses Bankers can make of the State Organization thru their county organizations."

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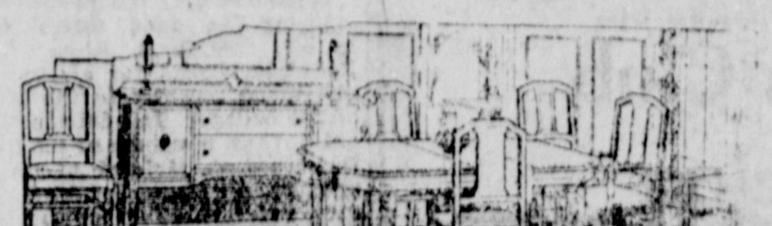
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### Telephone Stand and Chair \$7.50

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### Book Ends \$1.49

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From Springfield to Conduct  
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are needed by the army this year to bring it up to requirements. Corporal Faires is from the U. S. air service, but has been detailed to recruiting duty for the present. He expects to remain here as long as enlistments are possible. He has information regarding every branch of the service and is expecting to recruit a large number of young men from this section.

**EVENING DRESS SALE**  
ALL EVENING DRESSES  
AT HALF PRICE TODAY.  
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**U. OF I. GLEE CLUB  
TO GIVE CONCERT**

The University of Illinois Glee Club will give a program in the Jacksonville high school auditorium Monday night, Jan. 1.

**Euchre and refreshments, Liberty Hall tonight, 8 o'clock. All invited.**

C. O. Bayha was in Winchester on business yesterday.

**C. C. JUDY SALE**  
Thursday, Dec. 13

at "The Walnuts," Judy farms, Tallula, Ill., cows, heifers, bulls, springers. No postponement. See ad on page 4.

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I. C. TRUSTEES IN  
SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION

Much Business Transacted at Regular Session of Illinois College Trustees Tuesday—Reports Show Institution in Excellent Condition

The trustees of Illinois college held their regular semi-annual meeting Tuesday at the home of President C. H. Rammelkamp. An unusually large number of out-of-town trustees were present at the meeting, including the following: E. Bentley Hamilton, Peoria; John J. Barber, Pascal Hatch and Robert B. Lanphier, all of Springfield; John J. Bergen, Virginia; Frank R. Elliott of Chicago and George W. Govett of Quincy.

In the absence of Andrew Rassel, Mr. Govett acted as temporary chairman of the board and presided at the meeting. The session was an unusually long one, continuing from 9 o'clock in the morning until almost 6 o'clock in the evening. An unusually large amount of business was transacted.

On the recommendation of the faculty the degree of bachelor of science was conferred upon Miss Mattie Reisch of Hersman and the degree of bachelor of arts upon Frank H. Caldwell of Jacksonville. These are students of Illinois college who have recently completed their work for their degrees.

The report made by President Rammelkamp indicated that the college has this year the largest attendance of students in the history of the institution, 332 college students being enrolled, representing an increase of 45 over the registration of last year. This is in addition to the registration of about 250 students in the Conservatory of Music.

The report of the finance committee, made by Harry M. Capps, showed the finances of the college to be in good condition. The finance committee also showed that the insurance and gifts had not provided sufficient funds to pay the cost of reconstructing and improving Sturtevant hall, and recommended that an effort be made among alumni and friends of the college to secure about \$14,000 to pay the amount still remaining on the reconstruction of Sturtevant hall.

The report of the building and grounds committee showed that the cost of reconstructing and improving Sturtevant hall was about \$50,000. The report of this committee also showed that over \$13,000 had been spent in repairs and improvements at the college during the past summer.

Announcement was made of the gift of \$1,000 to establish the George Gridley Wood memorial prize in freshman debate. This donation was made by Mr. Govett of Quincy in memory of Mr. Wood, who was his uncle.

Mr. Wood was a member of the class of 1862 and enlisted in the Union army a few weeks after graduating and died in camp while on his way to the front to fight for his country.

A communication was received by the board from the I. club asking for the co-operation of the trustees in various plans of the Athletic association. The board voted to assure the I. club of the interest of the trustees in the plans for a new gymnasium and in other efforts to increase the interest in the athletic association.

A committee was also appointed to confer with the athletic association and the chamber of commerce in connection with plans for continuing the Illinois college inter-scholastic meet. On the request of the modern languages department the board voted to purchase a Victrola for use in the teaching of foreign languages in the college.

The trustees also voted to purchase a three-inch telescope for the department of mathematics and astronomy.

A resolution was adopted expressing the thanks of the board to Mr. George C. Ross, '73, of Redwood, Calif., for his valuable gift made recently to the library of the college. In addition to the out-of-town members of the board, Dr. Murdoch McLeod of Chicago and Dr. Buschgen of New York City, representatives of the board of Christian Education of the Presbyterian church, were also present at the afternoon session of the board. These gentlemen came to Jacksonville to confer with the trustees with reference to some of the plans for the campaign for \$3,000,000 which is under way in the state of Illinois for the benefit of the Presbyterian college of the state.

The members of the board and Doctors McLeod and Buschgen lunched with President and Mrs. Rammelkamp at the noon hour. Adjournment was also taken for a short time in order to allow the members of the board to inspect the recent improvements in Sturtevant hall.

**DELAWARE TRIBE  
CONFERRED DEGREES**

At a meeting of Delaware Tribe No. 78, I. R. M., held last night, the three degrees of the order were conferred on George W. Carter. A smoker and social hour followed the work.

**NOTICE**

The meeting of the Mound Woman's club has been postponed from Thursday until Friday afternoon of this week, on account of the funeral of the late J. R. Mawson.

**I. O. O. F. NOTICE**

The funeral of Bro. H. R. Challiner will be held today at 10:30 A. M. at the residence northwest of city.

Ruly York, N. G.

Chas. J. Roberts, Secy.

AGED RESIDENT OF  
COUNTY PASSES AWAY

**John Y. Smith Died Tuesday at Home Near Nortonville After Brief Illness—Funeral Arrangements Not Made**

The death of John Y. Smith occurred Tuesday afternoon at his home near Nortonville, after a brief illness of pleurisy, followed by apoplexy.

The deceased was born July 18, 1844, near Richmond, Va., and was the son of Harrison and Nancy Smith. He was united in marriage to Mariah A. Fanning March 16, 1871. To this union were born eleven children, two of whom preceded their father in death. Jasper F., who died in infancy, and Judea Evaline, wife of Wilse Hettick, who died July 30, 1919.

The wife and the following children survive: Mrs. Mattie Berryman, Mrs. Bella Rawlings, Mrs. Ella Neece, Mrs. Addie Rawlings, Mrs. Lola DeLong, Miss Mildred at home, and Eli Harrison, John Henry and James Shelby. There are also thirty-one grand children, five great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Smith professed faith in Christ early in life and united with the Methodist church in Hartland. He was a man of fine character and had the esteem of all who knew him.

The arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed, but it will be held at Youngblood Baptist church.

JOHN E. REID DEAD  
IN AUTO ACCIDENT

**Former Resident Struck by Car and Killed in Bloomington, California—Was Brother of N. W. Reid of This City.**

Word has been received by friends here announcing the death of a former resident of this city, Mr. John Edwin Reid near his home, Bloomington, Cal. His daughter Mrs. Irene Davidson writes that her father was struck by an automobile on Tuesday December 4 and instantly killed.

John Edwin Reid was a son of George Reid and Mrs. Martha Williams Reid, both of whom passed away some years ago. He was born in the year 1846 and obtained his literary education in the public schools of this city and at Illinois college. He was unified in marriage on May 22nd 1879 to Miss Hannah E. Moody at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. H. Moody at Concord this county.

Shortly after his marriage he removed to the state of California, where he has since been engaged in the development of apricot ranches and has proven very successful in that line as well as the raising of citrus fruits.

Mr. Reid was an active member of the Methodist church, and he had for many years lived the life of an upright and consistent Christian, his conversations have borne out this fact and his Christian character was an inspiration to all who came in contact with him.

Mr. Reid is survived by his wife, his daughter Mrs. Irene Davidson and three sons, Roy, George and Fred all residents of California and by his brother Newton W. Reid of this city, his brother George M. Reid residing in Ridgeland, Miss and a half-sister Mrs. Idella Gardner of Minneapolis, Minn., and a half-brother Herbert Metcalf residing in Greenfield Green county this state.

No further information has been received. Interment was in the cemetery near Bloomington, Cal.

**BAPTISTS TO HAVE  
CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**

Teachers Discuss Plans for Entertainment to be Held Monday Evening December 24—Announce Committee.

The regular meeting and supper held by officers and teachers of First Baptist Sunday school was held in the church dining room last evening with over 20 in attendance. C. H. Story presided and several matters of importance were considered. It was voted to hold the annual Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school on the evening of Dec. 24, at which time a program will be given by the younger children of the school. A Christmas tree and treat for the children will be provided.

Miss Laura White reported that a Christmas entertainment will be held at the Baptist Chapel in the northeast part of the city.

Some of those present volunteered to make popcorn balls, so that one could be given to each pupil of the Chapel school. There were 66 in attendance there last Sunday and the work is flourishing.

The committees appointed to arrange for the Christmas exercises at the church are as follows:

Program—Mrs. William Cowger, Mrs. Gertrude Richardson and Mrs. Edgar Busey.

Decorations—Miss Elizabeth Long, Arthur Updegraff, Russel Ludwig and Mrs. Henry Mason.

Refreshments—Alex Rabjohns, Mrs. A. B. Williamson and Byron Stewart.

F. T. Bolden, traveling auditor for the Franklin Life Insurance Company was a business visitor in the city from Springfield yesterday.

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C. OF C. PREPARES TO  
ENTERTAIN VISITORS

**Sessions of Telephone District Convention to be Held There Today—Citizens Asked to Take Visitors Sight Seeing.**

Elaborate preparations have been made at Chamber of Commerce headquarters to care for the district convention of telephone executives and operators which meets there today. All of the rooms have been thoroly cleaned, and the new stage on the second floor has been given a coat of paint.

Sessions of the convention will open at 10 o'clock this morning and close at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Citizens are asked to volunteer their autos and be at the Chamber of Commerce at 2 o'clock this afternoon, to take the visitors for a tour of the city. Fifteen to twenty cars will be needed.

The men of the traffic department will meet in the American Legion hall on the third floor.

Miniature telephone poles have been placed on the stage in this room and demonstrations in wiring and other electrical work will be conducted as a part of the program.

On the second floor in the general assembly room, the operators will have a school of instruction. Switchboards and other apparatus are being installed to be used in this work.

The visitors will be entertained by the Chamber of Commerce,

and every convenience at the disposal of this organization will be granted them.

Fifty to seventy-five delegates from various parts of the district are expected to be in attendance today.

THIRD WARD P. T. A.  
MET TUESDAY NIGHT

**"Fathers' Night Program" Given at Meeting of Morton and Franklin Parent-Teacher Association.**

An interesting program was carried out at the meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of the Franklin and Morton schools, held last night at the Franklin school. It was a "Fathers' Night Program," the fathers of the third ward furnishing a part of the program. Sixth grade pupils also had part on the program and the sixth grade mothers were the hostesses.

Mrs. E. C. Ellis led in community singing and Miss Green's pupils gave a Christmas folk dance. Marjorie Wackerle gave a violin solo and Robbie Rhoads a piano number. Both these pupils are from Miss Mayer's grade. Miss Green's pupils also sang "O Little Star of Bethlehem."

Five minute talks were made by D. J. Staley, Rev. W. R. Johnson, George B. Kendall and Rev. G. B. Randle, all dealing with various phases of the problem of the education of the young.

The meeting was attended by fully 200 persons and was one of the most enthusiastic gatherings in the history of the organization. Forty-four new members were taken in at last night's meeting.

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## ORGANIZED JUNIOR LEAGUE AT MEREDOSIA

New Children's Organization Is Organized at Meredosia Sunday Afternoon—Other Meredosia News Items

Meredosia, Dec. 12.—A Junior League was organized Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church with thirty-two children in attendance. They were divided into five classes, and the following teachers selected: Mrs. John Moultray, Mrs. T. W. Burdick, Mrs. George Butcher, Miss Blanche Pond and Hal Naylor. An election of officers was held which resulted as follows:

Superintendent—Mrs. Hal Naylor. Vice president—Mrs. T. W. Burdick.

Secretary and treasurer—Mrs. A. G. Pond.

Pianist—Blanche Pond. Meredosia Rebekah lodge No. 151 will initiate six candidates at their regular meeting next Thursday evening. All members are urged to be present. A social hour will follow the initiation.

Mrs. C. A. Evans of Bluffs visited Eli Harshman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lierle spent Sunday with relatives at Timewell.

Raymond Kistner of Beardstown spent Sunday with his par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kistner.

Charles Walters of Beardstown spent Sunday here with his father Harry Waters.

Mrs. Robert Gregory of Excelsior Springs, Mo., is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamman and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moultray were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Eli Harshman visited Mrs. C. A. Evans at Bluffs from Saturday until Monday. The two visited Mr. Harshman at Passavant hospital in Jacksonville last Sunday. Mr. Harshman is gradually improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brewer of Quincy spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Driscoll. The visitors were here in honor of Mrs. Eliza Brewer's 81st birthday anniversary which was the following day, Monday.

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Mrs. Mary Brockhouse returned Friday from a visit with her sons, Emil and Edward Brockhouse at Beardstown. Her son, Emil accompanied her home.

Mrs. Israel Hale received word Saturday of the death of her brother, David Burrus, at Beardstown. She in company with Mrs. Mollie Hyde left Saturday and Israel Hale and Mrs. Eliza Hale left Sunday for Beardstown to attend the funeral which occurred Monday. Mr. Burrus was well and favorably known here having formerly made his home in this place.

Mrs. Harry Wiley of Columbia was called here Saturday by the illness and death of her uncle, W. A. Stephen.

Mrs. Glen Kendrick left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Hersman.

Edward Brockhouse and family of Beardstown, F. W. Brockhouse, wife and son Willard of Jacksonville, Elza Perry and family, Luther Rice and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brockhouse of this place were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mrs. Mary Brockhouse. The occasion was in honor of the latter's seventy-first birthday anniversary.

At the regular meeting of the M. W. A. last Thursday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

V. C.—Julian Shannon. W. A.—W. L. Wilday. B.—Harry Lefever. Clerk—J. F. Brockhouse. E.—Harold Perry. W.—S. G. Price. Manager—J. F. Mayes. Physician—Dr. F. A. Nevill. S.—J. E. Beauchamp.

J. E. Francis of Springfield, who has been appointed as receiver for the United Mercantile bankrupt stock of goods, arrived in this place last Friday to attend to the same. He was accompanied by L. W. Perry of Springfield who with the assistance of Julian Shannon and J. H. Looman of this place have been in voicing the stock and completed the work Tuesday. The stock will probably be disposed of at public sale within the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Elmore of Decatur were weekend visitors

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Unland.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church was re-organized Sunday evening with the following newly elected officers:

President—A. G. Pond.

1st vice president—Mrs. A. G. Pond.

2nd vice president—Virgil Beauchamp.

3rd vice president—Dr. Lois Nevill.

4th vice president—Hal Naylor.

Secretary—Lottie Hyatt.

Treasurer—Annabelle Hyde.

Chorister—A. G. Pond.

Pianist—Annabelle Hyde.

Assistant pianist—Gwendolyn Berger.

The Sunday school and choir of St. John's Lutheran church are preparing a program to be given Christmas evening.

Mrs. Alice Nerriss returned Saturday from a visit with relatives at Perry and Griggsville.

Miss Josie Beeley and Mr. Neistras of Arenzville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beeley Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Hyatt was a business visitor in Quincy Saturday.

Clayton Hyatt of Sabula, Ia., arrived Saturday for a visit with his sisters, Mrs. T. W. Burdick and Mrs. George Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Battield of Bluffs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fee Sunday.

Miss Clara Roegge returned Sunday from Jacksonville. She was accompanied by Miss Katherine Little of Arenzville.

Miss Martha Wessler of Arenzville spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Korsemeyer.

C. P. Hedrick and Raymond Scott were Jacksonville visitors Monday.

### CONCORD CHURCHES TO JOIN IN PROGRAM

M. P. and Christian Church Sunday Schools Plan Christmas Program for Dec. 23—Other Concord News

Concord, Dec. 10.—The Methodist Protestant Sunday school and Christian church Sunday school will have their Christmas services together Sunday night, Dec. 23.

Clay Stone and family accompanied by Mrs. William Green of Carlinville, Ill., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ginder Saturday night and Sunday.

Casper Blemling is seriously ill at his home at this writing.

The play entitled "The Little Clochopper" was presented by the Concord high school on Saturday night was a success. There was a large crowd in attendance.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church met with Mrs. William Diggins Thursday, Dec. 6.

Edward Roe of Meredosia has rented Harry Ogle's farm and will take possession after Mr. Ogle's sale which will be Tuesday, Dec. 18 at his farm. A closing out sale of stock, grain and farming implements. Mr. and Mrs. Ogle will make their future home in Jacksonville.

Samuel Deitrick of Springfield, Neb., has been visiting his sister, Miss Carrie Deitrick and brothers, James and George Deitrick the past week.

Mrs. Hattie Ogle of Jacksonville is visiting her son Harry Ogle.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Henderson and little daughter, Virginia Rose left for their home near Eureka, Ill. the latter part of last week, after visiting Mr. Henderson's aunt, Miss Lula Henderson in Concord and his sister, Mrs. Hubert Wester of Joy Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Smith were Jacksonville callers Saturday. Mrs. Smith is suffering with a broken wrist.

The many friends of Mrs. Mattie Wooff are sorry to hear of the serious accident she met with by falling off of the porch at her home some days ago.

### MANCHESTER

Mrs. Ella Larkin of Elgin visited her brother, Dr. G. N. Lucas and other relatives from Friday till Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mays McPherson and daughter Jewel spent Sunday with Roy McPherson and family.

At a regular meeting of the Eastern Star on Friday evening an election of officers was held and the following named: Worthy Matron, Mrs. L. C. Funk; Worthy Patron, L. C. Funk; Associate Matron, Mrs. C. D. Chapman; Secretary, Mrs. Herbert McConnel; Treasurer, Mrs. G. N. Lucas.

Little Miss Liona Wiggins spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Gunn in Murrayville.

Quite a number from here went to Roodhouse Sunday to attend the baptismal services held at the Baptist church at that place. Five candidates were baptised as a result of the revival meeting which was held at the M. E. church here a few weeks ago by the pastor, Rev. H. M. Ingram, who had charge of the service Sunday.

### FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for Herbert Challiner will be held at 10:30 o'clock this morning from the residence in the Joy Prairie community, in charge of Rev. M. L. Pontius. Interment will take place in Arcadia cemetery.

H. W. Clendenan and Miss Etta Morey have returned to their homes in Springfield after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harber on Webster avenue.

### LISTEN!

What do I hear? Music at the Cigarmakers' ball, Thursday, Dec. 13, Auto Inn.

### THE REFEREE By Albert Apple

#### Blah!

"When an American woman feels badly she goes out and spends and spends, until she feels good again. In fact, the most expensive thing the American man can buy is the American woman."

Such is the glib comment of W. L. George, British novelist, lecture-touring America. Not that we have any particular desire to preserve him for the future, but if we were W. L. George we'd stay east of the Mississippi and in particular avoid the southwest—where woman is esteemed considerably higher than in England.

Sex cynicism arouses less resentment in the cynical east.

#### Costly

More than 90 million dollars

have been spent in determining the valuation of the railroads. When LaFollette fathered the legislation providing for this valuation, as a basis for fixing railroad rates, he figured the cost would be about five millions.

The figure, 90 millions, is the one announced by the press agent department of the railroads. No doubt, another 90 millions will be spent in investigations to determine if it's correct.

The roads claim they have paid 67 millions of the total 90, and Uncle Sam the rest.

#### Hot-Dogs

Fifty-three "hot-dogs" were eaten by John Huine in a contest. The audience then carried him to the rear of the restaurant, covered him with a fireman's red shirt and left him to sleep. He's the champion hot-dog eater of New York's Lower East Side.

A thousand years from now, this, long ago. Now they're

Huine's giant meal will seem as important as nearly anything else happening this year in America; so don't belittle him. On with the World Vaudeville!

#### Once

New Haven policeman nearly had heart failure when Jacob Abraham, banana peddler, walked in with a \$20 bill which a customer had given him by mistake, and asked the police to help him find the owner.

How many of our big problems, little ones also, would disappear if all of use were as honest as Jacob Abraham? What this country needs, more than anything else, is common honesty.

Women rapidly are becoming the dominant sex and man will be a timid, shrinking creature of the fireside and boudoir.

Joke-writers began telling us

backed by the German scientists Mathias and Mathilde Vaerting, whose book on the subject has been translated for publication in English.

We disagree. Men are slipping admittedly, but any deterioration that is taking place is attacking both sexes equally.

Women average a 50-50 say Theodore Dill of Roodhouse in Jacksonville Tuesday on business.

We wish to direct attention to the Harding Memorial Campaign in progress this week throughout the nation. Subscriptions in any amount, received by us.

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# LATEST NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## SUB QUARTERBACK HELPED MICHIGAN TO TIE ILLINOIS

Great Work of Rockwell  
Won Two Games  
for Wolverines

BY BILLY EVANS

Michigan, unbeaten since early October, 1921, when Ohio State triumphed over her by a score of 14 to 0, looked unbeatable for 1923. She started off the season in impressive style. The Yost machine swept along and one of the chief reasons for the sweep was Irvin Uteritz, quarterback.

The Michigan attack revolved around Uteritz. He was one of those rare gems of football—an intelligent quarterback. Uteritz was a quarterback in every sense of the word, the pilot of the Michigan team. His generalship was as near flawless as it is possible for quarterbacking to be. Yost pronounced him the greatest directing head he had ever seen on a team.

Michigan was playing the Marines from the Quantico Naval Station. Uteritz had already scored a touchdown against the Marines. In the fourth period Michigan once more got inside the Marines' 20-yard line and Uteritz tried to carry the ball around end. He was tackled behind his scrimmage line and after the whistle blew Uteritz did not get up. He was carried off the field, his ankle broken.

From the sidelines came a gan held Wisconsin deep in Wis-

youngster. On the back of his jersey, in large block figures, the 40,000 spectators read, "26." Hurried glances thru the program. There they found the number and name:

26—Ferdinand (Tod) Rockwell, quarterback; 5 feet 9 inches, weight 160.

That settled it for the crowd. They had never heard of Rockwell. They knew but one quarterback—Uteritz; he was without a peer.

Rockwell came in and yelped a signal. Then he went 10 yards behind his line of scrimmage. He laid on the ground. Behind him was Blott, Michigan's great center and at times place kicker. The play was apparent to the Marines.

The ball was snapped back. Rockwell held it in position for a place kick. But, just as Blott advanced to apply his toe to the ball and as the Marine forwards came streaming thru to block the kick, Rockwell jumped to his feet suddenly and ran. Eight Michigan players had swing to the right to offer interference. They blocked and Rockwell ran on—26 yards to a touchdown. It was his first play in varsity football.

The game with Wisconsin followed. Wisconsin was pointed for Michigan. The Wolverine following bewailed the lack of a quarterback. It was a battle, that game at Madison. In the first period Captain Below kicked a field goal and gave Wisconsin a lead of three points.

The lead seemed good for the remainder of the game, but later on, in the second period, Michigan

had suffered a broken ankle in the Wisconsin game.

But in the third game in succession Rockwell delivered. In the second period Michigan got the ball to Minnesota's 21-yard line. Vick, substitute fullback, went 10 yards behind the scrimmage line and threw a forward pass out over center. Rockwell, running at top speed, managed to get the ball by his finger tips. He jugged it a moment, pulled it down, and, wiggling loose from two tacklers, ran to a touchdown. This play beat Minnesota.

Rockwell is one of the best broken field runners in the Western Conference. He, more than any other man, saved the Big Ten football title for Michigan. Rather he gave Michigan the chance to tie with Illinois for the title.

And so, there you have a story that sounds like Dick Merrifield, it is the story of the substitute, a curly-haired sophomore at Michigan.

**TUNNEY MAY MEET GEORGES CARPENTIER**

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Gene Tunney, who successfully defended his title in a 15-round match with Harry Greb of Pittsburgh, last night, may meet Georges Carpenter, former holder of the world's 175 pound crown at Madison Square Garden late in January or early in February.

Tex Rickard today said he was considering the match as a result of a challenge issued by Carpenter to the victor of last night's battle, the third between Tunney and Greb in less than two years. The Frenchman is willing to meet any opponents. Rickard may select but is particularly anxious to fight the American champion.

Before a Tunney-Carpenter match can be arranged, however, the contract which Tunney signed with Mike McTigue, world's light heavyweight champion, must be scrapped. McTigue has paved the way for this by asserting he would not risk his title here and signing for a fight with Joe Beckett, English heavyweight, at Dublin, next March.

Battling Siki, who conquered Carpenter more than a year ago, is another candidate for a match with Georges.

Cigarmakers' 43rd annual ball, Auto Inn, Thursday, Dec. 13.

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## Major Leagues Will Give Landis Support

CHICAGO, Dec. 11. (A. P.)—Peace within the major league ranks over the administration of Kenesaw Mountain Landis, baseball commissioner, was assured for at least 1924 when the club owners of the National League adopted resolutions tonight pledging the continuance of their royal support and unqualified approval of his administration. The action of the National Leaguers dispelled some of the flaming rumors of the possibility of a clash between Commissioner Landis, President Heyder of the National League and Ban Johnson, president of the American League.

The National League club owners in their resolution approved the fearless and impartial decisions rendered by Commissioner Landis and his uncompromising determination to preserve the highest traditions of the game.

The American Leaguers while failing to adopt resolutions either approving or condemning Commissioner Landis' administration gave no indications of belligerency. Instead they went peacefully about their duties of familiarizing themselves with the 17 proposed amendments which are to be acted upon at the joint session tomorrow.

They hub owners decided to give personal recognition to Babe Ruth of the Yankees and George Sisler of the Browns for their achievement as individual stars in 1922 and 1923. In addition to having their names inscribed on the \$100,000 monument to be erected by the league in Potomac Park in Washington, Ruth and Sisler will be given medals of honor and a

so will be presented with a miniature of the monument.

The button will also be awarded to any future champions in case the monument not completed by the time the decision on the player is made.

Frank J. Navin of Detroit was re-elected vice-president and the new board of directors will be composed of representatives of St. Louis, Detroit, Boston and New York in place of the old board which was composed of St. Louis, Cleveland, Philadelphia and Washington.

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**STONE OF PHILLY NEWEST STAR IN LIGHT HEAVIES**

New York (N. E.)—The newest star among the light heavyweights of the nation is Ad Stone of Philadelphia, a second Dempsey in action. Stone made his debut here recently and gave Mike Burke, local top-notcher, a terrific beating. Stone all but knocked Burke out in the third round with a right-hand punch.

Stone is eternally aggressive and flays away with both hands all the time. With a little more experience experts figure he will be able to hold his own against Tunney, Greb, McTigue and Carpenter. Stone weighs 176 pounds and is proportionately built.

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## CLEVER CAPTAIN OF NOTRE DAME GETS BAD START

Was Once Passed up By  
Famous Coach of  
Fighting Irish

By Billy Evans

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bring out in Brown. Rockne knew all about his ability but wanted to make him over into a forward. He has been a mainstay in the Notre Dame line for years.

**FOOTBALL SQUAD  
AWARDED LETTERS**

Sixteen of Coach Mitchell's Men Given Coveted Prize—Schedule of Basket Ball Games Announced.

Upon the recommendation of Coach J. L. Mitchell, the Athletic Board of the Jacksonville High School awarded letters to the football men, who have qualified in playing in 40 per cent of the scheduled games. The letters were given out in assembly Tuesday morning, the following sixteen men receiving them:

Earl Arundel, Richard Arnold, Robert Brown, Junior Barr, Kenneth Curtis, Ralph Corbridge, Norman Deweese, Lloyd Harrison, Harold Hopper, Willard Johnson, Ned Massey, Wm. Randell, Floyd Sanders, Sherman Smith.

Nine of these boys are "old letter-men" having earned letters in previous football seasons.

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Big Ten Commissioner Says Illini Star Greatest Find in Years

By George Britt  
New Service Writer

Chicago.—"Speed, strength and sense—that's Grange of Illinois," says Major John L. Griffith, Big Ten athletic commissioner.

"In these days of the 'triple threat' fad, that's the offering of the University of Illinois sophomore halfback who has proved in this year of his varsity debut the most dangerous player in years.

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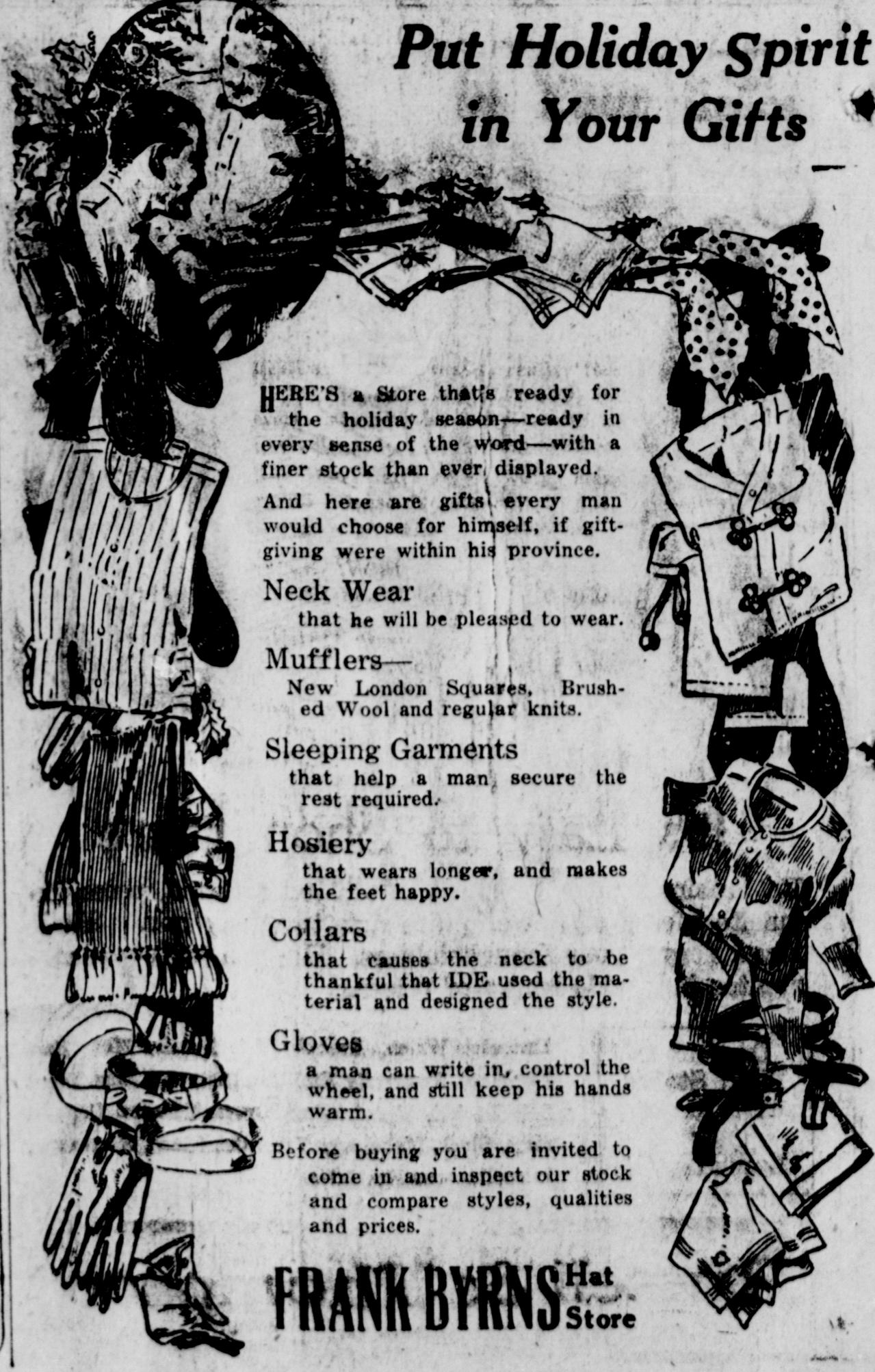
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Thursday, December 20, 1923

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A De Laval representative will be with us to assist with this work. Bring in your De Laval Separator that day and receive the benefit of his advice on the care and operation of the machine, as well as the free service. It is our wish, and that of the De Laval Company, that every user of a De Laval Separator get the maximum of service at the minimum of cost, and we therefore urge you to avail yourself of this free and useful service.

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HALL BROS.**

## SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

# BREAKFAST

Sister Mary Gives Correct Way to Set the Table

## BY SISTER MARY

The care and precision with which a dinner table is set marks the correct and up-to-date hostess. No matter how elegant the linen, silver and china, careless or slovenly arrangement ruins the table.

Breakfast, as a family affair, is always a most informal meal. Even with house guests the meal is simple and the hour is apt to be variable. But the same care should be in evidence as to the placing of silver and dishes as if the meal were of many courses and of great formality.

The linen may be doilies, a gay breakfast cloth spread over the bare table; runners and mats, or a large breakfast square used over the silencer.

The "set-up" usually consists of knife, fork, dessert spoon, and butter spreader. If whole fruit is used a fruit knife should be placed at the extreme right. If half an orange or grapefruit is served the spoon is placed at the top of the plate. If soft-boiled eggs are served a teaspoon is placed at the right of the knife. If a knife is not needed it should not be placed on the table. Only the pieces of silver needed should be on the table.

## Proper Positions

Forks are always placed with the tines upward, spoons with the bowl upward and knives with the cutting edge toward the plate. Forks are placed to the left and knives and spoons to the right of the plate. This silver is laid one inch from the edge of the table, each piece an equal distance from another.

The butter spreader is placed across the upper right-hand side of the butter plate which is placed above the fork. This is the correct place for the bread and butter plate and butter spreader for any meal.

The order of service is as follows:

Fruit served on a small plate

### PROF. STEARNS WILL LECTURE AT DURBIN

I. W. C. Man to Speak at Durbin Church Next Tuesday — Other News Items from Durbin

Durbin, Dec. 10.—Dr. Wallace Stearns of Illinois Woman's col-

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## ASHLAND S. S. BOARD

## ELECTED OFFICERS

Officers for Coming Year Named at Recent Meeting—Other Ashland News Notes

Ashland, Dec. 10.—At meeting of the Sunday school board the following officers were elected for superintendent; J. E. Shivers, as superintendent; J. E. Shivers, as assistant superintendent; C. E. Beggs, second assistant superintendent; H. J. Lohman, secretary; E. R. Clemens, treasurer; Miss Helen McLaughlin, pianist; O. N. McDaniels, librarian; Mrs. S. N. Zahn, superintendent; Miss Lena Cox, assistant; Mrs. J. N. Blank, superintendent of cradle roll; Mrs. Anna Pearn, superintendent of home department; Mrs. Jessie Beggs, superintendent of Missionary; Mrs. J. A. Biddle, Mrs. S. N. Zahn and W. S. Rerrick to make arrangements for the Christian church on Thursday, Dec. 10.

W. W. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Lorine have returned to their Peoria home after a pleasant sojourn with Mr. and Mrs.

Harry C. Stribling.

Robert Anderson, Sr., has gone to Pensacola, Fla., where he expects to spend the winter.

The next meeting of the Centenary Community club will be held Wednesday, Dec. 12, at the country home of Mrs. W. S. Sinclair.

Miss Jessie Parsons is teaching in the grade schools after an absence of two months on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Marion

who have been visiting relatives at Limes, Ind., have returned home.

Mrs. John Sahey and son have been visiting relatives in Chicago the past week.

Mrs. Lillie Mitchel of Blue

Jaquet, Okla., and John Plunket

of Canada have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jen-

nings.

the co-operation of the entire community in its management.

Homer Lewis has moved his meat market into the Shop Aid grocery store.

James Dorsett has gone to Indiana Springs, Ind., for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Woods and children have gone to Lois, Ill., and will spend several days with relatives.

The Christian Endeavor will hold a bazaar at the Christian church on Thursday, Dec. 10.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Oxley

entertained the W. F. M. S. last

Wednesday and despite rain a

goodly number were present.

The family has just recently moved into their new house and may well be pleased with it as it is a very

attractive and comfortable home.

On the first floor are the living

room, music room and dining

room, (all three of these may be

thrown into one room), the break-

fast room, kitchen, two bedrooms,

pantry and toilet. A pleasant

feature of the living room is the

large fireplace, flanked on either

side by built-in bookcases. In the

dining room a splendid buffet is

built-in the north end and a

china closet opens into the break-

fast room. A kitchen cabinet has

been built that occupies almost

an entire side of the kitchen. Up-

stairs there are three bedrooms,

each having a large dressing

room connecting with it, a sleep-

ing porch of ample size occupies

the north end of the second floor.

The bathroom is also upstairs.

Hot water heat and electric lights

add to the comfort of this modern

farm house. The inside finishing

wood is fir. Mr. and Mrs. Oxley

have five daughters to enjoy the

home with them.

Durbin school will give a pro-

gram and pie supper at the

school house next Friday evening.

Dec. 14th. Miss Jones and the

pupils have prepared an excel-

lent program and hope for good

attendance.

Word has been received of the

illness of Miss Elizabeth Scott

who is attending school at Nor-

mal.

Lawrence Oxley, Mrs. E. D.

Scott, Mrs. William Davies, Mrs.

Edgar Oxley and Mrs. Samuel

Darley form a committee to pre-

pare the Christmas program for

Durbin Sunday school.

CENTENARY CHURCH

Market and Bazaar Thurs-

day, Dec. 13 at Furry'sGro-

cery.

TRY TO WIND UP CITY

PLAN CAMPAIGN TODAY

What it is hoped will be the

final meeting in the campaign

for city plan funds will be held

at noon today in the blue room

of the Peacock Inn. Chairman

Rodgers of the finance com-

mittee is confident that reports

today will bring the fund well

over the \$4,000 mark. If the

requisite amount is not secured

in the present solicitation, a

clean-up campaign to secure

the remainder of the fund may

be necessary. All committees are

expected to be busy this morn-

ing winding up as far as possible

the list of prospects, and gather